

# *Village of North Chevy Chase Newsletter*

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## **Village of North Chevy Chase**

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**Next Village Meeting will be on Tuesday, July 21, 2009, 8 p.m., in the Community Lounge, NCC Christian Church.**

### ***Agenda Highlights:***

- ◆ Report on Md. Municipal League Convention
- ◆ Report from BRAC Task Force
- ◆ Repaving update
- ◆ Traffic calming discussion with Joe Cutro
- ◆ Permit for an addition at 8910 Kensington Parkway
- ◆ Permit for an addition at 3811 Inverness Drive

***Permits Granted:*** The following permits were granted at the Village Council Meeting on June 16, 2009:

- Permit to construct a fence at 3607 Husted Driveway
- Permit to construct a wall at 3605 Husted Driveway

## **Village Council:**

Chairman Adrian Andreassi

Vice-Chairman Lawrence Hirsh

Treasurer John Spain

Secretary Bruce Cohen

Member Brigitte Akalovsky

Fire Board Representatives:

Ed Asher, Anne Fox and

Dave Albinson

- Permit for an addition at 3817 Kenilworth Driveway

***Village 4<sup>th</sup> of July Block Party:*** The 32nd Annual North Chevy Chase Block Party, July 4<sup>th</sup> celebration and extravaganza was a resounding success. The barbecue was spectacular, the side dishes and desserts were the best ever and the weather cooperated totally. Special thanks are due the Houlihan family, who took the lead in managing the event, ably assisted by the Spains. Thanks also go to the Mahers, who managed this event for many years and were available at all times as mentors. Canopies were furnished by the Audubon Naturalist Society. Fortunately, it didn't rain, but the canopies kept leaves, twigs etc. from the lavish spread. All who attended were rewarded with a really special event. For those of you who missed it, we look forward to seeing you next year.

***Village Permit:*** Village permits are required for additions or alterations to existing structures and new construction as well as for the replacement or erection of fences. Please refer to the Village regulations for details or contact the Village office at 301-654-7084. A copy of the Village regulations and permit forms are available on the Village website at [www.northchevy Chase.org](http://www.northchevy Chase.org).

***MVA on Wheels:*** The schedule for MVA on Wheels visits to the Friendship Heights Village Center, 4433 South Park Avenue is:

Monday July 27    Monday August 24  
Monday Sept. 28    Monday Oct. 26  
Monday Nov. 23    Monday Dec. 21

***Bulk Trash Pickup:*** The next Bulk Trash Pickup is scheduled for Saturday, September 19.

***Tree Reminders:*** With summer here, Village residents are asked to please water the Village trees in your yard when rain has not fallen in several days. Village residents are also reminded to trim the dead wood from older trees, as well as overhanging branches over sidewalks. If you notice serious problems with Village trees, call the Village Office at 301-654-7084. Also, remember that ivy and other climbing vines can strangle a tree and should be cut away and pulled from the tree trunk.

***Vacations Precautions:*** A few precautions may enhance your vacation.

- Cancel your newspapers or get a neighbor to pick them up from your property.
- Arrange to have your lawn cut while you are away.

- Give a key to a neighbor just in case of an emergency.
- Arrange to have a neighbor or relative know how to turn off your security system if it is activated.
- Consider putting timers on some of the lights in your home.

***Household Hazardous Material:***

A permanent collection site for household hazardous waste is set up at the Shady Grove Transfer Station at the intersection of Rt. 355 and Shady Grove Road. The hours are 1 – 5 PM Thursday and Friday, 8 AM – 5 PM Saturday and 9:30 AM – 5 PM Sunday. Household hazardous waste includes insecticides, herbicides, pesticides, paint thinners, swimming pool chemicals and oil-based paints. For questions, call the County at 240-777-6410.

***NCC ListServ:*** The NCC ListServ now has over 40 subscribers. To join the list of residents getting immediate news, log onto [http://groups.yahoo.com/group/North\\_Chevy\\_Chase](http://groups.yahoo.com/group/North_Chevy_Chase). After you get a free Yahoo account, click on the “Join This Group” button and sign in. This is an “information only” service for Village residents only. For more information, please call the Village Office.

***There will be no Council meeting or newsletter in August.***

**HAVE A GREAT SUMMER!!!**